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A WISE MAN

A wise man always pays a fair price for his shoes.
He knows that when a five dollar shoe is offered for a dollar and a half it is not a five dollar shoe.
He doesn't expect something for nothing.
He knows that our shoes and our prices are exactly right, and that our \$3.50 shoes are the best \$3.50 shoes in town.

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E. HAMILTON, E. C.
A. H. SNOW, Recorder.

ALPHA LODGE OF PERFECTION.

At 11:30, 1st S. J. meets on the first Saturday in each month. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

E. HAMILTON, E. C.
Ven. Mas.
G. M. FUCHS, Sec'y.

CHICKASHA CHAPTER, No. 11, R. A. M.

Meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays each month.
J. WILLIAM SPEAKE, H. P.
A. S. GILKEY, Secretary.

CHICKASHA LODGE NO. 25, I. O. O. F.

Meets Tuesday nights at 8 o'clock.
A. HAMILTON, E. C.
E. M. PAYNE, Sec'y.

EVERGREEN REBEKAH LODGE NO. 1.

Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights.
J. H. SNOW, E. C.
A. HAMILTON, Sec'y.

MODERN WOODMEN.

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C. E. FOSTER, Sec'y.

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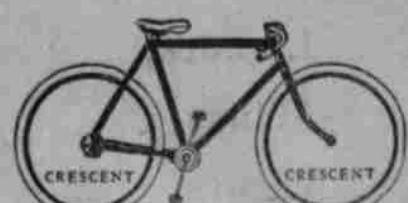
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OPEN TO THE WORLD.

The Nicaragua Route is Favored For a Canal by Congressmen.

WILL COST \$150,000,000

Hay-Panster Agreement Makes it Open to Shipping of the World.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Will Deal Extensively With The Canal Proposition and Will no Doubt Recommend the Early Passage of the Nicaragua Bill.

New York, Nov. 20.—The best information obtainable at Washington is that the commission—certainly by a vote of five to four—will recommend the Nicaraguan route. This is based upon several inferences as well as upon statements from the commissioners themselves.

It is said that President McKinley has received sufficient information about the report for use in his message. The message, if in line with the rumor, will advocate the adoption of the Nicaragua route, the ratification of the Hay-Panster treaty the construction of a canal without fortifications, and the adoption of tolls discriminating in favor of the United States, Cos a Rico and Nicaragua only so far as coastwise vessels are concerned, and leaving the canal open to all the shipping of the world.

Final estimates of the cost of a Nicaragua canal are not yet completed.

Approximate figures of the cost

of the Nicaraguan canal are believed to be about \$150,000,000.

Ardmore, I. T., Nov. 19.—Jacob Bodovitz, the merchant who was taken beyond the limits of Indian territory by John Ellis, chief of Indian police, for non-payment of the 1 per cent tax demanded by the Indian government, but who returned on the next train, has filed suit with the United States clerk against J. W. Ellis, J. George White, J. B. Shoenfeldt and R. L. Reams for damages in the sum of \$10,000, alleging that the defendant, Ellis, at the instigation and procurement of the other defendant, unlawfully and forcibly entered and took possession of plaintiff's business and forcibly conveyed him out of the Indian territory away from his business, and when there was sickness in his family, demanding his presence and care.

Oklahoma, City, Ok., Nov. 19.—F. W. Smith of Houston, Tex., who has decided to locate a cotton fabric mill at this place, today purchased the Higgins claim of eighty acres near town, where he will locate the mills. He paid \$45,000 for the land and his company will begin work on the buildings at once. The plant will employ 100 men night and day.

No less than three highly complimentary articles about Abbas II, khedive of Egypt, in the valedictory number of the New York Verdict, have given rise to the rumor that Alfred Henry Lewis is about to start an illustrated political weekly in Cairo and substitute O. H. P. Belmont, as patron, for the khedive.

"I want five cents worth of formaldehyde to put in the milk of human kindness," said the modern Diogenes to the druggist. "Can't sell less than ten cents' worth," replied the druggist, coldly.

"Papa is not at home," said the evangelist's child to the caller, "but mamma will pray with you, you poor wretched sinner."

Increases Crime.

Ardmore, I. T., Nov. 20.—The decision of the comptroller of the currency in which he holds that deputy marshals are only entitled to fees in case of capital offenses will result in the increase of crime in the Indian Territory unless congress amends the law relating to fees.

Under the United States fee bill a deputy marshal is entitled to charge \$2 for each arrest and 10 cents per mile for himself, prisoner and guard. Under the Arkansas fee bill he is entitled to 50 cents each arrest and 5 cents per circular mile.

The Arkansas fee bill will not pay horse hire to transport a prisoner.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Chickasha, I. T., for the week ending Nov. 21st, 1900:

Avery, Carl Allen, WM
Brown, J W Bonhart, J D
Bently, Miss Geo Bently, Mrs Mary
Baker, Miss Mary Crockett, Note
Carter, S L Choffer, Geo
Carruth, L S Carroll, J C
Cornelius, Harry Done, Mrs S M
Deady, Mrs J R Evans, Harve
Edwards, Mrs Mary Hawkins, Hal
Hurd, Ad Harman, Miss Kathie
Hawn, J W Jones, Miss Doctor
Jones, Burl Meedham, DO
LeDever, Miss ME McCormack, Mrs L
Necodemus, LF Palmer, D S
Rowe, W J Reed, James
Reed, O B Rardon, Martha E
Stuart, D A Smith, Miss
Steel, Tom Spore, S
Sparks, J J Smith, Bell
Schewer, Adam Thompson, J W
Taylor, Arnette Tennessee, SA
Wilson, RW Williams, Greene
Williams, John West, Mrs Bessie
Persons calling for the above letters will please say "advertised."
J. H. MILLER, P. M.

Do you remember "On Linden, when the sun was low, and dark as winter was the flow of Isar, rolling rapidly?" Well, it turns out that the Isar rolls so rapidly that it is a great success in carrying away the sewage of Munich.

"Bravery," says an anonymous philosopher, "is fear of seeming afraid."

C. B. CAMPBELL, Pres., H. B. JOHNSON, J. T. AUST, Ass't. Cashier,
R. K. WOOLLEN, JR., Vice Pres., Cashier, B. F. JOHNSON, Ass't. Cashier.

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CHICKASHA, IND. TER.

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